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KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES

Preliminary January 2021

AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

U.S. Comparable Rate - 6.3%

	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	Jan 21	Dec 20	Jan 20
Statewide	1,967,353	1,862,821	104,532	5.3%	5.4%	4.5%
COUNTY						
BARREN RIVER	133,682	127,405	6,277	4.7%	5.4%	4.8%
ALLEN	8,683	8,321	362	4.2%	4.8%	4.5%
BARREN	17,767	16,728	1,039	5.8%	6.8%	5.2%
BUTLER	4,907	4,659	248	5.1%	5.6%	5.8%
EDMONSON	4,487	4,237	250	5.6%	6.2%	5.6%
HART	7,544	7,179	365	4.8%	5.3%	6.8%
LOGAN	11,824	11,388	436	3.7%	4.1%	4.5%
METCALFE	3,962	3,732	230	5.8%	6.5%	6.1%
MONROE	4,460	4,276	184	4.1%	4.4%	4.5%
SIMPSON	8,568	8,193	375	4.4%	4.9%	4.8%
WARREN	61,480	58,692	2,788	4.5%	5.3%	4.3%
BIG SANDY	40,651	37,404	3,247	8.0%	9.0%	8.3%
FLOYD	10,279	9,507	772	7.5%	8.6%	7.9%
JOHNSON	6,378	5,858	520	8.2%	9.0%	7.6%
MAGOFFIN	3,150	2,700	450	14.3%	14.8%	14.8%
MARTIN	2,364	2,150	214	9.1%	9.0%	9.0%
PIKE	18,480	17,189	1,291	7.0%	8.3%	7.5%
BLUEGRASS	401,396	382,860	18,536	4.6%	5.2%	4.0%
ANDERSON	11,274	10,752	522	4.6%	4.8%	4.3%
BOURBON	9,472	9,084	388	4.1%	4.5%	4.4%
BOYLE	12,422	11,709	713	5.7%	6.8%	4.9%
CLARK	16,529	15,705	824	5.0%	5.5%	4.6%
ESTILL	4,929	4,636	293	5.9%	6.2%	6.1%
FAYETTE	167,397	159,988	7,409	4.4%	5.1%	3.5%
FRANKLIN	23,830	22,545	1,285	5.4%	5.9%	4.1%
GARRARD	7,336	6,985	351	4.8%	5.2%	5.4%
HARRISON	8,479	8,110	369	4.4%	4.7%	4.6%
JESSAMINE	25,548	24,384	1,164	4.6%	5.0%	3.9%
LINCOLN	9,241	8,643	598	6.5%	7.7%	5.5%
MADISON	44,238	42,212	2,026	4.6%	5.3%	4.1%
MERCER	9,520	9,040	480	5.0%	5.9%	5.2%
NICHOLAS	3,203	3,055	148	4.6%	5.1%	5.4%
POWELL	4,887	4,616	271	5.5%	6.2%	6.8%
SCOTT	28,262	27,124	1,138	4.0%	4.6%	3.8%
WOODFORD	14,829	14,272	557	3.8%	4.2%	3.5%

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BUFFALO TRACE	21,956	20,546	1,410	6.4%	6.8%	7.3%
BRACKEN	3,698	3,483	215	5.8%	5.9%	6.4%
FLEMING	6,041	5,713	328	5.4%	5.9%	6.3%
LEWIS	4,604	4,192	412	8.9%	8.8%	10.8%
MASON	6,833	6,416	417	6.1%	6.9%	6.5%
ROBERTSON	780	742	38	4.9%	5.7%	5.9%
CUMBERLAND VALLEY	77,313	72,586	4,727	6.1%	7.0%	6.5%
BELL	8,157	7,669	488	6.0%	7.0%	7.8%
CLAY	5,074	4,699	375	7.4%	8.2%	7.6%
HARLAN	6,251	5,634	617	9.9%	11.3%	12.3%
JACKSON	3,873	3,599	274	7.1%	8.1%	7.3%
KNOX	9,823	9,167	656	6.7%	7.5%	6.3%
LAUREL	24,399	23,182	1,217	5.0%	5.8%	5.2%
ROCKCASTLE	6,197	5,853	344	5.6%	6.2%	5.4%
WHITLEY	13,539	12,783	756	5.6%	6.5%	5.5%
FIVCO	46,422	42,894	3,528	7.6%	8.1%	8.2%
BOYD	17,120	15,947	1,173	6.9%	7.5%	6.8%
CARTER	9,420	8,602	818	8.7%	9.5%	10.0%
ELLIOTT	1,923	1,741	182	9.5%	9.0%	11.3%
GREENUP	12,948	11,970	978	7.6%	8.0%	8.2%
LAWRENCE	5,011	4,634	377	7.5%	7.7%	8.6%
GATEWAY	31,059	29,064	1,995	6.4%	6.7%	6.8%
BATH	4,466	4,174	292	6.5%	6.9%	8.5%
MENIFEE	2,212	2,015	197	8.9%	9.0%	9.2%
MONTGOMERY	10,956	10,278	678	6.2%	6.5%	6.2%
MORGAN	4,237	3,945	292	6.9%	6.8%	7.3%
ROWAN	9,188	8,652	536	5.8%	6.1%	6.0%
GREEN RIVER	92,379	87,691	4,688	5.1%	5.4%	4.6%
DAVISS	44,342	42,151	2,191	4.9%	5.5%	4.4%
HANCOCK	3,697	3,510	187	5.1%	5.4%	3.9%
HENDERSON	20,242	19,207	1,035	5.1%	5.1%	4.1%
MCLEAN	3,957	3,764	193	4.9%	5.0%	4.9%
OHIO	8,942	8,367	575	6.4%	6.1%	6.2%
UNION	5,949	5,698	251	4.2%	4.8%	4.9%
WEBSTER	5,250	4,994	256	4.9%	5.2%	4.9%

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KENTUCKY RIVER	28,978	26,809	2,169	7.5%	8.4%	9.0%
BREATHITT	3,183	2,933	250	7.9%	8.6%	10.8%
KNOTT	4,289	3,961	328	7.6%	8.5%	8.0%
LEE	1,962	1,852	110	5.6%	6.3%	6.6%
LESLIE	2,571	2,339	232	9.0%	9.9%	12.1%
LETCHER	5,914	5,428	486	8.2%	9.1%	9.4%
OWSLEY	1,046	969	77	7.4%	7.3%	7.1%
PERRY	7,966	7,416	550	6.9%	8.1%	8.3%
WOLFE	2,047	1,911	136	6.6%	7.5%	9.2%
KIPDA	501,785	474,369	27,416	5.5%	5.4%	4.0%
BULLITT	41,367	38,947	2,420	5.9%	4.8%	4.3%
HENRY	7,972	7,615	357	4.5%	4.6%	4.1%
JEFFERSON	381,910	360,305	21,605	5.7%	5.7%	4.1%
OLDHAM	31,855	30,648	1,207	3.8%	3.9%	3.4%
SHELBY	24,852	23,734	1,118	4.5%	4.3%	3.4%
SPENCER	10,108	9,597	511	5.1%	4.2%	3.8%
TRIMBLE	3,721	3,523	198	5.3%	5.5%	4.7%
LAKE CUMBERLAND	81,089	77,017	4,072	5.0%	5.7%	5.5%
ADAIR	6,752	6,382	370	5.5%	6.0%	6.4%
CASEY	6,634	6,320	314	4.7%	5.1%	4.7%
CLINTON	3,972	3,809	163	4.1%	4.5%	6.0%
CUMBERLAND	3,184	3,057	127	4.0%	4.2%	5.0%
GREEN	4,991	4,793	198	4.0%	4.4%	4.4%
MCCREARY	4,828	4,540	288	6.0%	7.3%	7.3%
PULASKI	25,040	23,663	1,377	5.5%	6.3%	5.2%
RUSSELL	5,955	5,608	347	5.8%	6.6%	6.4%
TAYLOR	12,393	11,893	500	4.0%	4.9%	4.5%
WAYNE	7,340	6,952	388	5.3%	6.0%	6.3%
LINCOLN TRAIL	118,353	112,057	6,296	5.3%	5.6%	4.8%
BRECKINRIDGE	7,695	7,232	463	6.0%	6.4%	6.4%
GRAYSON	10,401	9,751	650	6.2%	6.5%	5.7%
HARDIN	45,781	43,392	2,389	5.2%	5.7%	4.5%
LARUE	5,720	5,401	319	5.6%	6.0%	5.0%
MARION	9,072	8,637	435	4.8%	4.9%	3.9%
MEADE	11,422	10,731	691	6.0%	6.0%	5.2%
NELSON	22,247	21,132	1,115	5.0%	4.9%	4.7%
WASHINGTON	6,015	5,781	234	3.9%	4.2%	4.2%

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NORTHERN KENTUCKY	231,663	220,586	11,077	4.8%	5.1%	4.0%
BOONE	67,956	64,960	2,996	4.4%	4.8%	3.8%
CAMPBELL	48,345	46,000	2,345	4.9%	5.1%	3.9%
CARROLL	5,053	4,814	239	4.7%	5.0%	4.8%
GALLATIN	3,926	3,726	200	5.1%	5.2%	4.4%
GRANT	11,132	10,543	589	5.3%	5.7%	4.9%
KENTON	83,616	79,447	4,169	5.0%	5.4%	4.0%
OWEN	4,953	4,721	232	4.7%	5.6%	4.9%
PENDLETON	6,682	6,375	307	4.6%	4.8%	4.8%
PENNYRILE	78,343	73,989	4,354	5.6%	6.3%	5.7%
CALDWELL	5,513	5,238	275	5.0%	5.8%	5.5%
CHRISTIAN	24,099	22,767	1,332	5.5%	6.1%	5.8%
CRITTENDEN	3,557	3,388	169	4.8%	4.7%	5.3%
HOPKINS	17,899	16,956	943	5.3%	6.6%	5.1%
LIVINGSTON	3,422	3,161	261	7.6%	7.8%	6.5%
LYON	3,023	2,866	157	5.2%	5.6%	5.4%
MUHLENBERG	9,541	8,842	699	7.3%	7.7%	7.4%
TODD	5,304	5,115	189	3.6%	4.0%	4.6%
TRIGG	5,985	5,656	329	5.5%	6.2%	5.5%
PURCHASE	82,696	78,130	4,566	5.5%	6.1%	5.2%
BALLARD	3,238	3,064	174	5.4%	6.1%	6.4%
CALLOWAY	16,857	15,973	884	5.2%	5.7%	4.4%
CARLISLE	2,119	2,026	93	4.4%	4.7%	4.7%
FULTON	1,929	1,833	96	5.0%	5.6%	5.3%
GRAVES	15,386	14,588	798	5.2%	5.9%	5.1%
HICKMAN	1,692	1,613	79	4.7%	4.9%	5.3%
MCCRACKEN	27,280	25,625	1,655	6.1%	6.9%	5.5%
MARSHALL	14,195	13,408	787	5.5%	5.9%	5.4%
BOWLING GREEN MSA	79,557	75,909	3,648	4.6%	5.3%	4.5%
ELIZABETHTOWN MSA	62,923	59,524	3,399	5.4%	5.8%	4.7%
LEXINGTON MSA	262,037	250,557	11,480	4.4%	5.0%	3.7%
LOUISVILLE MSA	648,067	614,668	33,399	5.2%	5.0%	3.9%
OWENSBORO MSA	51,996	49,425	2,571	4.9%	5.4%	4.4%

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